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The trains on the Missouri Pacific Railroad arrive at Phillipsburg as follows:  
**GOING EAST.**  
Passenger 10:41 a. m.  
Freight 3:50 p. m.  
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Passenger 10:41 a. m.  
Freight 3:50 p. m.  
**C. K. & N. TIME CARD.**  
**GOING EAST.**  
No. 3 Passenger 5:25 a. m.  
No. 38 Local Freight 11:40 p. m.  
Passenger 7:37 p. m.  
**GOING WEST.**  
No. 37 Passenger 11:00 p. m.  
No. 7 Local Freight 11:10 p. m.  
Passenger 9:00 a. m.

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## The Independent's Discourteous Editorials.

Two weeks ago, we fully discussed in these columns, the depositing of the county funds in the two Phillipsburg banks, and gave the history of the matter as plainly and truthfully as we could. We neither excused nor defended the banks as all our readers well know. We only stated what they said as to their inability to pay more than one per cent for "call deposits." The following is our exact language used two weeks ago:

We took the position last year and hold the same view now, that the commissioners should require the banks to bid for the funds and to get as good a rate of interest as possible, the solidity of the bank and the sufficiency of the bond given to be carefully considered. It is better that the county receive one per cent than nothing, as in all former years under the old law. If there are any other banks besides the two mentioned herein, that will come forward with a sufficient bond, and will pay more than one per cent for "call deposits" on county funds, we say transfer the money to such banks. We have said so all along. Let us be fair in discussing these county matters and use common sense and not try to mislead the people by misrepresentations and sophistry.

And notwithstanding that very plain statement the Kirwin Independent came out last week with its bristles all on end, and repeats its old statement that:

The Herald has been lying its best in behalf of the banks for a year past.

The Independent also chops up our article into small paragraphs, and garbles it, putting some sentences as our editorials when we were merely repeating, not words expressing our sentiments, but what the bankers said. Now we are at a loss to know what reply we ought to make, or whether we should make any at all to the Independent, which paper does not rise to the dignity of a candid discussion of the question, but like a mad bull, paws up the ground, belows with rage, and makes the air blue with epithets and ejaculations that "the Herald is a liar, has told a batch of falsehoods" and other elegant and courteous (!) expressions. We are not disposed to match the Herald with the Independent as a mud-slinging sheet, for that paper could defeat us in that sort of a contest; so we bid you good day Mr. Independent, with the parting statement that while we shrink from a mud-slinging combat with you, yet we are bold to compare our reputation for truth and veracity with yours. If we have not been as generous in our dealings with unfortunate men and women; if we have not donated as much in charity; if we have not paid laboring men as good wages; if we have not lived as honest and honorable a life in every respect as the editor of the Independent, then let him repeat on the house tops the charges in his last paper, that "the Herald is a liar, and has been lying its best the past year." In this matter of the banks the Independent grossly misrepresented us, and we leave it to our readers to say who has uttered the intentional falsehood, the Independent or the Herald.

Peter Cooper, once the candidate for the presidency on the Greenback ticket, in a speech delivered in 1883 said: I have noticed in my own business life, extended over a period of nearly seventy years, that every reduction of the tariff (or the tariff for revenue only) plan has brought wretchedness and ruin. It is the natural effect from such a cause. Nothing is more certain than that a advocacy of free trade comes from foreigners who want to break up our industries. They have done it several times already and they mean to do it again. The laborers of the old world got hardly enough to keep body and soul together, and that is the condition in which the advocates of free trade are trying to place our laborers."

The "noblest work of God" is the man who pays in advance for his paper. The man who is checked through to Hades is invariably the villain who, after taking a paper two or three or five years without paying a nickel, has the postmaster inform the publisher that he refuses to take it from the office any more.—Scottsville Independent.

## Mr. Boyd a Good Soldier, But a Slick Politician.

Two weeks ago we stated that we had heard that Mr. Boyd had so alluded to Major Wilson as to offend some of the old soldiers of Logan. Then in a kindly spirit we used this language:

The editor of the Freeman we believe was a soldier himself and is a member of the G. A. R. as is also the writer and we believe Major Wilson also. Old union soldiers should never allow their partisan feelings to so warp them as to speak insultingly of a comrade.

Mr. Boyd gets quite indignant at the Herald over what any one might have seen was but the expression of a friendly sentiment. In his reply occurs this language:

Old soldiers are roaming over the county, doing all in their power to vilify and injure the Freeman editor, but that is all right because the editor is a U. L. man, but to put an interrogation point after the name of a Republican soldier is a crime.

Are you not getting a little excited Brother Boyd? We know of no old soldier who is vilifying you. So far as the Herald is concerned it has not printed a line editorially that reflected on your personal integrity, nor uttered one word against your soldier record. We understand you was a good soldier. What we have said is about, not you, but your under-handed political methods. You denounce democrats, and then for votes flatter them; to strengthen your own candidacy, you manipulate the political wires so as to pull off the U. L. ticket your own political associates and put democrats in their stead, who dispise your party and your party's principles. The Herald has not even denied the correctness of the great majority of the doctrines enunciated by the Union Labor party, and the writer has personally boldly declared a belief in the correctness of those principles in the main. Our criticism has been, and is, that you are inconsistent in fusing with a party that you at heart despise—a party that you severely denounce when no democrats are about, but a party you sell out to for votes. That is tolerably plain talk Mr. Boyd, but we state the truth don't we?

WANTED, by the Republican state committee—Two able-bodied adept liars in each township in the state, to blacken the reputation of opposing candidates. Its our only show to win. Phillips county liars will please report at the Herald office Phillipsburg, for instructions.

By Order of Committee.

The above appeared in the Kirwin Independent last week. It does not display any ability nor is it witty. It is intended as a slur on the Herald. We ask what ground has the Independent for insinuating that this paper is guilty of blackening the reputation of anybody and that it wants the assistance of liars to carry on the work? So far this campaign we have studiously avoided attacking the personal character of any opposing candidate. On the other hand we have generally spoken well of them as men and citizens. We have criticized the scheming and fusing methods of certain candidates, and exposed some political maneuvers but we went no farther. Then why does the Independent print the above and manifest so much venom? It must be because the Herald's shot at the actions of its political Captains have hit the mark aimed at. We have a right to discuss candidates and their acts which effect the public, and the raging and gnashing of teeth of the party bosses, shall not deter us from writing our honest views about political affairs. The writer will knowingly make no statement about friend or foe that is not true; neither will we assail with venom any one, nor descend to bandying epithets with our Kirwin contemporary, but we will, to the best of our ability, show up the inconsistencies of professed political leaders who preach one thing and practice another.

## WORSE THAN A FIRE ALARM.

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The last Logan Freeman follows the example of the Kirwin Independent and bashes up and garbles our articles on the matter of the depositing of the county funds in the banks, so that with a twist here, a misquotation there, and the copying of a part of a paragraph in another place, with a liberal amount of misrepresentation thrown in, that paper makes it appear to the careless reader that the Herald is in favor of the banks paying but one per cent. interest on county funds deposited. Every reader of this paper knows that the Herald has never taken that position. We have in discussing this subject repeatedly stated that the bankers said "they could not afford to pay over one per cent. for money left subject to check at any time." We always followed up that quotation by the statement that we had no means of knowing the recourses of the banks, and whether they could or could not afford to pay more except their own statement in the matter. Why then does the Logan Freeman continue to misrepresent us and claim that the quotation of what the bankers say is our language. Why cannot Candidate Boyd be fair and tell the truth as to our position. He is a candidate, it is true, but that is no valid excuse for him to continue to misrepresent us, even if such misrepresentation does make him votes. In the long run it is better to be honest and fair even in politics.

## DAYTON.

An occasional political echo reaches this quiet locality sounding in all of the variations of partisan economy the political issues of the day.

The broom corn harvest is now in full blast. This fine weather is giving a good chance for the cutting and preparing it for market.

The Barg Bros., of Silver Creek, have raised about 3,000 pumpkins this year. They are feeding over 100 head of hogs.

John Castello is getting out rock for the R. R. company.

L. E. Countryman, of Phillipsburg, has contracted to teach the winter term of school in district 47.

Chas. Tracy is building the foundation for the new school house at Almena.

A. F. Walker, of Brush Creek is now a full fledged fruit tree vender. Mr. W. is a live business man and will doubtless be successful in the business.

James Hopper, of Boughton creek, has a field of very nice corn, about as good as any we have seen this year.

Harrison Rodgers has put up a vast amount of hay this season, and is still at it.

S. H. Baker and Aleck Spratlen have just returned from a trip to the Loup country in Nebraska.

School district 107 wants a first class teacher to teach their school this winter.

Mr. Mousley is the Democratic nominee for Trustee of Dayton, but the Republicans have not yet spoken.

## R.

The coal trust advanced the price of hard or anthracite coal fifty cents per ton September 1st, and it is probable there will be two more advances between now and December 1st. There is not the slightest justification for this advance. The output of coal is limited every year by agreement among the five railroads that own the mines. As the season advances when coal is needed the price is advanced and the consumers squeezed all they can stand. It is true that this combination is in violation of the fundamental law of Pennsylvania, and in violation of every principal of right and justice. This combination has so much political power in Pennsylvania that it defies the courts. Congress is the only power that can grapple with it, and it dallies and hesitates. Political wisecracks claim that congress has no power, and so it goes. In the meantime communities are robbed. —Iowa Homestead.

—It is said by those who have looked into the situation closely that Western Virginia will probably go for Harrison and Morton.